

MINUTES OF THE DALLAS CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, JUNE 16, 2025

25-0999

SPECIAL CALLED CITY COUNCIL MEETING
COUNCIL CHAMBER, DALLAS CITY HALL/VIDEO CONFERENCE
MAYOR ERIC L. JOHNSON, PRESIDING

PRESENT: [15] Johnson, West, Moreno, Gracey, Johnson, Resendez, Cadena,
Bazaldua, Blair, Blackmon, Stewart, Roth, Mendelsohn, Willis,
Ridley

ABSENT: [0]

The meeting was called to order at 2:44 p.m. with a quorum of the city council present.

The meeting agenda, which was posted in accordance with Chapter 551, "OPEN MEETINGS," of the Texas Government Code, was presented.

After all business properly brought before the city council had been considered, the city council adjourned at 3:22 p.m.

ATTEST:

Mayor

City Secretary

Date Approved

The annotated agenda is attached to the minutes of this meeting as EXHIBIT A.

The actions taken on each matter considered by the city council are attached to the minutes of this meeting as EXHIBIT B.

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EXHIBIT A

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EXHIBIT B

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Election of Officers of the City Council

- Mayor Pro Tem
- Deputy Mayor Pro Tem

The city secretary stated the following details regarding the nomination/election process that applies both to the Mayor Pro Tem and Deputy Mayor Pro Tem positions:

- No single nominations for Mayor Pro Tem and Deputy Mayor Pro Tem, requiring a motion/second, will be made on the floor
- All 14 members of the city council can be nominated simultaneously
- A council member can opt out on being listed on the nomination list
- A council member can only nominate 1 nominee (including himself/herself)
- Nomination results will be displayed in real-time
- The top two (2) nominees receiving the highest nominations will move forward to the final Election Ballot (*or multiple nominees if there is a tie on the top two highest nominations*)
- The nominee on the final Election Ballot must receive eight (8) votes to be duly elected to that position

In accordance with Chapter III, Section 11 of the City Charter, Mayor Johnson called for nominations for the office of Mayor Pro Tem of the City Council.

The following individuals requested their name be removed from the ballot nomination as Mayor Pro Tem; there was no objection voiced:

Chad West
Zarin Gracey
Maxie Johnson
Laura Cadena
Adam Bazaldua
Lorie Blair
Paula Blackmon
Kathy Stewart
Bill Roth
Cara Mendelsohn
Paul E. Ridley

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The city secretary announced the following nominees on the ballot for Mayor Pro Tem:

Jesse Moreno
Jaime Resendez
Gay Donnell Willis

After discussion, Mayor Johnson called the vote on the nominees for Mayor Pro Tem.

The city secretary announced the results of the ballot vote for election of Mayor Pro Tem:

Jesse Moreno - 10
Jaime Resendez - 2
Gay Donnell Willis - 3

The city secretary announced the following individual received majority votes cast and therefore was duly elected Mayor Pro Tem:

Jesse Moreno

In accordance with Chapter III, Section 11 of the City Charter, Mayor Johnson called for nominations for the office of Deputy Mayor Pro Tem of the City Council.

The following individuals requested their name be removed from the ballot nomination as Deputy Mayor Pro Tem; there was no objection voiced:

Jesse Moreno
Chad West
Jaime Resendez
Laura Cadena
Adam Bazaldua
Lorie Blair
Paula Blackmon
Kathy Stewart
Bill Roth
Cara Mendelsohn
Paul E. Ridley

The city secretary announced the following nominees on the ballot for Deputy Mayor Pro Tem:

Zarin Gracey
Maxie Johnson
Gay Donnell Willis

The city secretary announced the results of the ballot vote cast for election of Deputy Mayor Pro Tem:

Zarin Gracey - 1
Maxie Johnson - 5
Gay Donnell Willis - 9

The city secretary announced the following individual received majority votes cast and therefore was duly elected Deputy Mayor Pro Tem:

Gay Donnell Willis

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Seating/Office Selection

Seating and office selections were made by, and finalized by, all city council members.

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